

Docket No.: 248791US0DIV

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
Pierre DRUILHE : ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION  
SERIAL NO: NEW APPLICATION :  
FILED: HEREWITH :  
FOR: PLASMODIUM FALCIPARUM ANTIGENS INDUCING PROTECTIVE  
ANTIBODIES

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND STATEMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Support for the Amendment** begin on page 5 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.